

IN THE CLAIMS

Claim 1 (Currently amended): A particulate ~~comprising~~ consisting of:

pantethine,

a light anhydrous silicic acid and

a microcrystalline cellulose,

wherein

a total content of the light anhydrous silicic acid and the microcrystalline cellulose ranges from 0.75 to 0.85 weight parts per 1 weight part of pantethine, and

a weight ratio of light anhydrous silicic acid to microcrystalline cellulose in the total content of these two substances is in a range from about 2/1 to about 4/1 ~~per 1 weight part of~~ pantethine.

Claims 2-7 (Canceled).

Claim 8 (Previously presented): The particulate according to Claim 1, wherein a pantethine content is at least 50 w/w%.

Claim 9 (Previously presented): The particulate according to Claim 8, wherein the pantethine content ranges from 50 to 60 w/w%.

Claim 10 (Previously presented): The particulate according to Claim 1, wherein an average particle size ranges from 120 to 280 μm .

Claim 11 (Previously presented): A solid dosage form comprising the particulate according to Claim 1.

Claim 12 (Previously presented): The solid dosage form according to claim 11, wherein the dosage form is selected from the group consisting of powders, fine granules, granules, tablets and capsules.